

WHY DOES THE **ACT**[®] MATTER?



Taking the ACT will give you experience taking similar timed standardized tests that you may have to take in the future. It can help you identify personal academic strengths and weaknesses.

WHAT IF I AM NOT GOING DIRECTLY TO COLLEGE?

- You have to put your ACT score on apprenticeship applications
- Your ACT score follows you - even if you go to the military first or work for a while, your ACT will still impact you when you apply to college

DON'T FORGET...

Taking the ACT seriously while in high school is your best opportunity for scoring well. Oftentimes, our desires change as we grow older, and if you decide at a later time to go to college, and an ACT score is required, chances are you will have lost some of that information that is fresh in your mind while you are in the process of learning it. Keep all doors open to your future possibilities.

WHAT IF I AM GOING DIRECTLY TO COLLEGE?

Many 4-year universities, 2-year colleges, and Technical Schools will use your ACT score:

- As a requirement to apply
- To make admission decisions
- To award scholarships - the value you could receive is based on ACT score and GPA
- As a tie-breaker between you and another applicant for scholarships and/or acceptance

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